# Committees Primarily Formed to Support/Oppose State Measures

## Being Voted on February 5, 2008

Filing Deadline	Type of Statement	Period Covered by Statement <sup>1/</sup>	Method of Delivery <sup>2/</sup>
October 31, 2007	Quarterly <sup>3/</sup>	<sup>1/</sup> – 9/30/07	<ul><li>♦ Personal Delivery</li><li>♦ First Class Mail</li></ul>
Within 24 Hours	\$1,000 Election Cycle Report <sup>4/</sup>	11/7/07 – 2/5/08 (Election Cycle)	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
January 7, 2008 <sup>5/</sup>	Combined Semi- Annual and Pre- Election	<sup>1/</sup> – 12/31/07	<ul><li>→ Personal Delivery</li><li>→ First Class Mail</li></ul>
January 24, 2008	Pre-Election	1/1/08 – 1/19/08	<ul><li>→ Personal Delivery</li><li>→ Guaranteed Overnight Service</li></ul>
Within 24 Hours	Late Contributions <sup>6/</sup> and Independent Expenditures of \$1,000 or More	1/20/08 - 2/4/08	<ul> <li>♦ Personal Delivery</li> <li>♦ Guaranteed Overnight Service</li> <li>♦ Fax</li> </ul>
July 31, 2008	Semi-Annual	1/20/08 - 6/30/08	<ul><li>→ Personal Delivery</li><li>→ First Class Mail</li></ul>

## **Special Online \$5,000 Reports**

Within 10 Business Days	\$5,000 Report <sup>7/</sup>	Any time other than 90-day election cycle (see footnote 4)	♦ Online or Electronically with Secretary of State
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#### Footnotes:

- The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- Committees must file electronically with the Secretary of State if, since January 1, 2000, they receive contributions or make expenditures totaling \$50,000 or more. For more information, visit the Secretary of State's web site at www.sos.ca.gov. Paper filings are also required, except as described in footnotes 4 and 7.
- Prior to the semi-annual period in which the measure(s) supported or opposed is being voted on, committees must file quarterly campaign statements in addition to semi-annual statements. Following the election, quarterly statements may also be required. Refer to Q&A's for additional information regarding quarterly filings.
- "Election cycle" is defined as 90 days prior to an election and ending on the date of election. Ballot measure committees required to file electronically (see footnote 2) must file this report if they receive a contribution of \$1,000 or more from a single source

- during the period November 7, 2007 through February 5, 2008. No paper copies are required, and no copies are required to be filed with other filing officers, including during the late contribution period.
- Because the January 5 deadline falls on Saturday, this filing deadline is extended to January 7, 2008.
- The recipient of a late in-kind contribution must file a late contribution report within 48 hours from the time the in-kind contribution is received.
- Ballot measure committees required to file electronically (see footnote 2) must file this report if they receive a contribution of \$5,000 or more from a single source at any time other than the 90-day election cycle (see footnote 4), including after the election. No paper copies are required, and no copies are required to be filed with other filing officers.

### **Additional Notes:**

• Except for deadlines that fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday, there is no provision in the law for extending a filing deadline. Late statements are subject to a \$10 per day late fine.

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- All statements are public documents.
- A committee that makes an expenditure totaling \$5,000 or more to an individual to appear in an advertisement to support or oppose a ballot measure must report the expenditure within 10 days on FPPC Form 511.

As of the date of this publication (8/07), the FPPC Campaign Disclosure Manual for primarily formed ballot measure committees (Manual 3) contains the most recent information on campaign disclosure requirements. Be sure to check the FPPC web site (www.fppc.ca.gov) for updated information.

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